

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Ramarao, et al. ) Examiner: Pich, Ponnoreay  
Serial No.: 10/637,172 ) Art Unit: 2435  
Filed: August 7, 2003 ) Conf. No.: 2912  
For: RPC PORT MAPPER )  
INTEGRITY CHECKER TO )  
IMPROVE SECURITY OF A )  
PROVISIONABLE NETWORK )

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING THE PRESENT  
RCE FILING

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2010, and coincident to a Request for Continuing Examination (RCE) filed herewith, the following amendments and remarks to the above captioned patent application are respectfully submitted.